Video & Film Shows (4230) have also been organized during the same period.

(b) The concept of the "Pilot Project on Technology Assessment and Refinement through Institution Village Linkage Programme (IVLP)" is based on participatory mode ensuring greater scientist-farmer linkage in a "bottom up" approach. This project ensure access to agricultural technologies generated by the Institute or for the matter by the entire Agricultural Research System in the country to the farming community adopted in a village or cluster of villages. The project is being implemented from 1995-96 through State Agricultural Universities and ICAR Institutes at 42 locations in the country. The activities of the project include technological intervention with emphasis on stability and sustainability for small farm production system, sustaining higher productivity in well endowed production system and 'off' and 'on' farm value addition in commercial production system. On-farm research and technology verification/validation work are being done in 13 production system spread over 5 agri-ecological regions viz. hill & Mountain, Irrigated, Rainfed, Coastal and Arid regions.

Agricultural Development Projects in Punjab

1862. SHRI IQBAL SINGH: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the details of agricultural development projects in the state of Punjab and Uttar Pradesh; district-wise;

(b) the allocation of fund granted by Govenrment for each of the project; year-wise during the period from 1994-95, 1995-96 and 1997-98;

(c) the names of such districts in Punjab where these projects are not being implemented in time;

(d) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(e) the steps being taken or proposed to be taken by Government in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (DR. S. VENUGOPALACHARI): (a) to (e) A list to Central/Centrally Sponsored Schemes for the agricultural development under implementation and details of funds released to the States of Punjab and Uttar Pradesh during the period from 1994-95 to 1996-97 are given at Statement-I (a) and I (b) and Statement II respectively (*See* below). Under the various schemes, funds are released to States who in turn, pass them on to the Implementing Agencies. It is, therefore, not possible to indicate a list of districts covered under the Schemes;

Funds for the year 1997-98 would be released to States under various Central/ Centrally Sponsored Schemes based on proposals received from the State Governments, total allocation in the budget of the Department and the amount remaining unutilised out of earlier releases made.

Statement-I (a)

List of Central / Centrally Sponsored Schemes implemented for Development of Agriculture in Punjab during 1996-97.

S.No.	Name of Schemes
1.	Integrated Cereal Development Programme—Wheat.
2.	Sustainable Development of Sugarcane based Cropping System.
3.	Intensive Cotton Development Programme.
4.	National Pulses Development Project.
5.	Oilseeds Production Programme.
6.	Accelerated Maize Development Project.
7.	Natioanal Watershed Development Project for Rainfed Areas.

8. Balanced and Integrated use of Fertiliser.
9 Development of Fertiliser use in low Consumption & Rainfed Areas.
10. National Project on Development and use of Bio-fertilisers.
11. National Programme for Varietal Development.
12. Streamling of certified Seeds production of important Indentified Vegetable Crops.
13. Grants in Aid to States/UTs for Setting/Strengthening of State Bio-Control laboratories under Integrated Pest Management.
14. Grants in Aid to States/UTs for Setting/Strengthening of State Bio-Control laboratories under Implementation of Insecticides Act.
15. Promotion of Agricultural Mechanisation among Small Farmers.
16. Exchange of Farmers within the Country.
17. Farmers Scientists Interaction.
18. Women in Agriculture.
19. State Land Use Board.
20. Soil Conservation in the Catchment of Flood Prone Rivers.
21. Reclamation of Alkali Soils.
22. Development of Medicinal & Aromatic Plants.
23. Use of Plastics in Agriculture.
24. Development of Commercial Floriculture.
25. Development of Mushroom.
26. Integrated Development of Tropical, Arid Temperate Zone Fruits.
27. Development of Root & Tuber Crops.
28. Development of Vegetables.
29. Integrated Development of Spices.
30. Investment in Debentures of LDBs.
31. Non Overdue Cover Scheme.
32. Agriculture Credit Stabilisation Fund.
33. Special Scheme for SC/STs.
34. Assistance to Women's Cooperatives.
35. Assistance to Weaker Section Cooperatives.
36. Crop Estimation Survey on Fruits, Vegetables & Minor Crops/ Dignostic Study.
37. Livestock Census.
38. Agricultural Census.

Statement-I(h)

List of Central/Centrally Sponsored Schemes implemented for Development of Agriculture in Uttar Pradesh During 1996-97

S. No.	Name of Schemes
1.	Integrated Cereal Development Programme—Rice
2.	Integrated Cereal Development Programme—Wheat.
3.	Sustainable Development of Sugarcane based Cropping System.
4.	Intensive Cotton Development Programme.
5.	Special Jute Development Programme.
6.	National Pulses Development Project.
7.	Oilseeds Production Programme.
8.	Accelerated Maize Dev. Project.
9.	National Watershed Development Project for Rainfed Areas.
10.	National project on development of Fertiliser use in low Consumption & Rainfed Areas.
11.	Balanced and Integrated use of Fertiliser.
12.	Integrated Seed Development Scheme.
13.	N.S.P.—III
14.	Streamlining of certified Seeds production of important Identified Vegetable Crops.
15.	Grants in Aid to States/UTs for Setting/Strengthening of State Bio-Control Laboratories under Integrated Pest Management Centres.

16. Promotion of Agricultural Mechanisation among Small Farmers.
17. Exchange of Farmers within the Country.
18. Farmer's Scientists Interaction.
19. Women in Agriculture.
20. State Land Use Board.
21. Soil Conservation in the Catchment of River Valley Projects.
22. Soil Conservation in The Catchment of Flood Prone Rivers.
23. Reclamation of Alkali Soils.
24. EEC Alkali Land Rec. Project.
25. Development of Medicinal & Aromatic Plants.
26. Use of Plastics in Agriculture.
27. Development of Commercial Floriculture.
28. Development of Mushroom.
29. Integrated Development of Tropical, Arid Temperate Zone Fruits.
30. Development of Root & Tuber Crops.
31. Development of Betelvine.
32. Development of Vegetables.
33. Integrated Development of Spices.
34. Investment in Debentures of LDBs.
35. Non Overdue Cover Scheme.
36. Agriculture Credit Stabilisation Fund.
37. Assistance to Women's Cooperatives.
38. Assistance to Weaker Section Cooperatives.
39. Timely Reporting Scheme.
40. Improvement of Crop Statistics.
41. Crop Estimation Survey on Fruit, Vegetables and Minor Crops/ Diagnostic Study.
42. Livestock Census.
43. Agricultural Census.

Statement-II

Sector-wise Funds Released under Central/Centrally Sponsored Scheme for the Development of Agriculture to Punjab and Uttar Pradesh from 1994-95 to 1996-97

(Rs. in lakhs)

		PUNJAB			UTTAR PRADESH		
S. No.	Name of Sectors	1994-95	95-96	96-97	1994-95	95-96	96-97
1.	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1.	CROPS	268	642	497	1879	2803	2809
2.	TMOP	65	21	56	926	1219	1689
3.	RFS	115	—	—	2295	2215	1000
4.	FERTILIZER	51	5	31	34	70	15
5.	SEEDS	—	16	—	45	22	131
6.	PLANT PROTECTION	—	15	38	—	13	—
7.	MACHINERY	—	15	25	—	119	215
8.	EXTENSION	9	8	7	10	19	14
9.	SOIL & WATER CONSERVATION	295	299	244	2947	2757	2851
10.	HORTICULTURE	128	212	231	345	93	—
11.	CREDIT	870	1666	1912	1199	1577	1802
12.	COOPERATION	54	59	59	11	31	—
13.	ECONOMICS & STATISTICS	—	7	9	71	78	86
14.	CENSUS	5	1	5	13	8	81
	TOTAL:	1860	2967	3113	9773	11023	10681